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RANGES  
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Club Terms—\$10 Down and \$2.00 a Week  
Wonderful opportunity to equip your home with  
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THE LEE BROTHERS FURNITURE COMPANY.

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## Lee's Great 36th Anniversary Sale

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Read of Its Great Values—Profit By Its Colossal Savings.

## Scotch Lace Curtains

Selling at Tremendous Reductions in the  
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\$1.50 Scotch Lace Curtains now at ..... 89c  
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\$2.00 Scotch Lace Curtains now at ..... \$1.25  
\$2.50 Scotch Lace Curtains now at ..... \$1.39  
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## Our Big Mid-Week Special

\$7.00 Pastry Tables \$3.98

Equipped with drawer, flour  
bin and pastry board—



## Beautiful Golden Oak Chiffoniers

With heavy plate mir-  
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wooden knobs

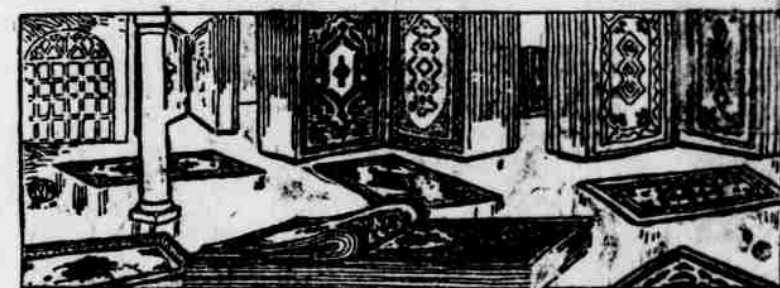
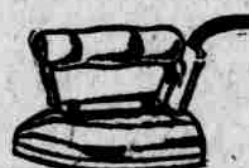
Value \$11.00  
Special at \$6.48

## Extra Special

\$2.50 GAS IRONS

Complete  
with Gas  
Tube at

\$1.49



## Rugs in the Anniversary

We have taken from our new and beautiful Fall  
Stock of Rugs various patterns of Rugs which we will  
sell as follows:

9x12 Axminster Rugs, value \$37.50, ..... now \$25.00  
9x12 Axminster Rugs, value \$35.00 ..... now \$22.50  
9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs, value \$40.00 ..... now \$25.00  
9x12 Velvet Rugs, value \$30.00 ..... now \$20.00  
8.3x10.6 Axminster Rugs, value \$32.50 ..... now \$25.00

## A Big Anniversary Special

Is Our White Enameled

## IRON BEDS

Now at \$4.48



Regular  
Value  
of This  
Bed Is  
\$7.50

REILLY NAMED  
FOR CONGRESS  
IN THE THIRD

Meriden Man Is Unanimous  
Choice of Convention In  
New Haven

New Haven, Sept. 26—Thomas L. Reilly, of Meriden, former Representative in Congress from the Third district, was nominated for that office at the Democratic Congressional convention here this afternoon. The nomination was by acclamation.

In his speech of acceptance, Mr. Reilly said: "This is the fifth time that it has been my honor and pleasure to appear before a Democratic congressional convention of this district in response to a call by a nomination committee, with the information that I had again been selected to make the run for congress. Two of the conventions represented the old Second District Democratic and two the Third district. The nominations were followed by two victories and two defeats. This is the rubber contest."

"I do not intend to tell you that the honor you have again conferred upon me is unexpected, for it is not. It has been expected for the last two years since the last election, for at the dinner that followed closely the 1914 election it was decided by friends from every town in the district that unless something entirely unforeseen occurred that we should try again. I am sure that I do not need to tell you that I am deeply grateful of the confidence imposed in me by the Democrats of the district in giving to me this unusual nomination. It has always been a pleasure to serve such tried and true Democrats and friends, but never has it been a greater pleasure than now. That pleasure is due to the knowledge that at no time has our party been more united and harmonious and at no time in the history of the great Democratic party has there been greater cause for unity and enthusiastic support of the principles and leaders of our party than now."

"I will not enter into a discussion of issues at this time. There has been a great deal of speaking of late and more is to follow with the formal opening of the campaign, which will take place shortly. I simply wish to return my sincerest thanks to the delegates and their constituents for this latest proof of their regard and to assure them that it is appreciated more than any words at my command will convey."

"The campaign is about to begin in earnest. It must be a campaign not only of speechmaking, but of hard and effective work. We have every incentive for enthusiastic work. We have a national ticket that commands the respect of all who want to stand by progressive men. In our national standard bearers, Wilson and Marshall, we have men of whom any party, yes, any nation may be well proud; for they have been the head of an administration that has a wonderful record of beneficent legislation to its credit, beneficial to all classes, that cannot be equaled or even approached by any party in the history of our government and that record has been made

In the short space of three and one-half years."

"That record has been made in the face of difficulties, the like of which has never confronted an administration in half a century. I firmly believe that the people of this country irrespective of party realize this and are prepared to stand by that leadership. This country has been directed the things that are necessary to be accomplished. The faith has been kept and every obligation met. The nation is marvellously prosperous, peaceful and happy."

"In the great world series America is triumphant, because all through the long and trying season when the struggle was the fiercest and a mis-play would have been fatal, superb management directed every play aright and the pennant of peace was won."

"Another season just as important as the one now ending is about to open. The same teams are in the field and the need of skillful management is just as necessary. Do you think it good judgment on the part of the American citizens, who are the stockholders and directors of the pennant winner, to go looking for a new manager? Do you think it the part of wisdom to retain the manager who has been through the stress of a world series or go into the bushes and select a manager who has not for six years even seen a game played?"

"The good sense of the American people will retain the old manager for another season at least. One good turn deserves another, and one good term deserves another."

"The last election in this congressional district was lost to the Democrats because of overconfidence. Let us be confident, but do not on that account let us fall to do the necessary work, and the most necessary work in an election is the getting out of the vote. There should be auxiliary organizations in every town to assist the regular town committee. The particular work of that auxiliary committee should be to get out the vote. If the vote in this district is gotten out as it can be, if every man does his share, we will see in this district on the night of November 7, a bright light in the sky that will mean a great Democratic victory for the entire ticket."

"I assure you that nothing honorable will be left undone by me to bring about the re-election of President Wilson and our able candidate for United States Senator, Homer S. Cummings, and the splendid state ticket headed by Judge Beardsley. I only ask you to impress upon your friends when you go back to them in the respective towns of the district that their work and their vote are essential to that victory which we hope for and which we will surely enjoy if every Democrat does his duty. Gentlemen, I accept the nomination and again sincerely thank you."

Frank Miller, Called As  
Witness, Reprimanded

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garded the subpoena. Miller admitted going out, saying he would not have done so had he been able to get information from the district attorney.

Judge Thomas asked him if, as a citizen and a man of business, he had not realized that a subpoena was something that could not be disregarded and that when summoned it was his duty to remain until dismissed. Miller said that he had a business engagement and did not expect to have been held so long in

court. Judge Thomas said he should have arranged his affairs.

"When were you subpoenaed?" asked the court. "Three or four days ago," Miller replied.

Judge Thomas said that with a reprimand he could dismiss the case but Miller should know that a subpoena of a court of jurisdiction could not be disobeyed.

The matter was then dismissed. The jury took a recess.

Edward A. Conklin, of Meriden, charged with stealing from the mails, pleaded not guilty and was released in \$500 bonds given by Former Congressman Reilly.

EXPECT ROUND-UP  
OF YOUNG FOOTPADS  
IN THE EAST END

Positive Identification of  
One Prisoner Likely to  
Lead to Other Arrests.

With the arrest of Albert Vigue, 22 years of age, and the hourly anticipated apprehension of a half dozen more youths by a squad of detectives, the police believe they at last have broken up the gang of embryo highwaymen, who have terrorized the East End.

Pedestrians have been slugged with abandon by the gang, robbed, and left to die, several men being so seriously injured recently that for a time their lives were despaired of.

William G. Russell, who was struck on the head with an iron pipe, last Saturday night, under the viaduct, and his money stolen, today positively identified Vigue as one of the two men who held him up. John F. Healey, of 1805 Stratford avenue, also identified Vigue, who lives at 3 Surf avenue, as one of the gang, who nearly beat him to death August 3, and took from him \$24 and a gold watch.

The boldest job of the highwaymen was perpetrated last Saturday and led to the arrest of Vigue, who confessed his complicity in the crime. A resident of Milford, passing St. Michael's cemetery, was stopped and asked for a match—the usual method employed in robbing victims—by two young men.

Suddenly he received a terrific blow on the jaw and was knocked down, bound, gagged and carried into the cemetery, after valuables and money had been taken from his person.

John T. Beatty, Orange street, who witnessed the robbery today positively identified Vigue as one of the robbers.

Lieut. Cronan, on information gleaned from a grilling of Vigue, today sent Detectives John J. Flynn, Frederick L. Feeley, who arrested Vigue, and several members of his bureau, into the East End to round up the other members of the gang and their arrest is expected hourly.

## PARALYSIS CLAIMS CHILD.

Fawcett, Conn., Sept. 26—Edward Aver, 10-year-old son of Franklin Aver, of Solomonsville, whose case was diagnosed as infantile paralysis after a short illness, died Monday night, suffering from paralysis of the face and jaw. No other cases have been reported in town since Sunday.

Farmer Want Ads. One Cent a Word.

TO FIGHT SEWER  
ASSESSMENTS IN  
EAST BRIDGEPORT

Old Ninth District Improvement  
Asso. Is Revived  
to Oppose Levy.

Because of the great protest that has arisen over the proposal to assess property owners along the new Knowlton street trunk sewer, the old Ninth District Improvement association has been revived.

A mass meeting of the property owners in the Ninth and Tenth districts, who might be affected by the proposed assessment, will be held tomorrow evening in King's Highway chapel. It is expected that a majority of the 2,000 against whom assessments have been levied, will appear to protest.

The Knowlton street sewer, just completed extends from the Congress street bridge to Berkshire avenue. It was built at a cost of \$51,573.98, and the city's announcement of the assessments, declares that \$4,342.98 of this shall be charged up to the property owners. It is the intention of the city to ask sixteen and one-half cents a foot of each property owner.

"We won't pay," say many of the persons who might be affected. They point out that P. L. Bradbury, in his suit against the city several years ago when he complained that tenants were moving out of his houses because of the stench from Berkshire pond, won the action against the whole city, not against the property owners that live along the new trunk. They contend that the taxes should pay for the job, which was the result of the suit.

The Ninth district club was especially active during the days when the garbage odor from the Fischer plant was a prime issue here. It is being revived to oppose the assessments. The association will urge that the persons affected band together and agree not to pay.

Levity Interests  
Take Over Business  
of Geo. A. Jamieson

The Jamieson pharmacy at Fairfield avenue and Broad street will be made a branch of the J. A. Levity & Bro. stores tomorrow. Sale of Mr. Jamieson's interests was completed today.

Mr. Jamieson, who has been in the drug business 48 years, will retire. His winters will be spent attending to his 10-acre fruit land holdings in Tarpon Springs, Fla. Mr. Jamieson was in business at Main street and Fairfield avenue, in partnership with Charles E. Shelton 30 years. He conducted a branch store at Main and Golden Hill streets for a few years. The present location is part of the Bishop estate. The building formerly was a tenement.

## MRS. GERARD TO RETURN.

Berlin, Sept. 26—By wireless to Sayville—James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, and Mrs. Gerard, left Berlin today for Copenhagen, whence Mrs. Gerard will sail for the United States on September 28.

WILL SUPERVISE  
JITNEY BUSINESS  
WITH STRICTNESS

Stringent Rules to Be En-  
forced By Police Under  
Lieutenant Wheeler

All jitney licenses and regulation will come directly under the supervision of the traffic force of the police department, beginning with the issuance of new licenses October 1.

This move has been made to protect 25,000 average daily passengers carried by jitneys in the city of Bridgeport and to enforce careful driving regulations, proper equipment on cars and to permit of the better supervision of vehicular traffic in the streets. Applications for jitney permits have been printed and are ready for distribution at police headquarters. They require many details of the driver's experience, make and condition of the car and incidental qualifications. Heretofore no application other than personal visit to the clerk of the police board has been demanded.

Lieut. Charles Wheeler in charge of the traffic squad announced today that the system for future regulation of jitneys would be constant watch of all cars on the streets. "Where reckless driving is observed, the jitney will be taken from the driver in the street and if necessary his state markers taken from the car until he had assured the police that passengers would be fully protected."

All wiring of running boards, bent axles, sprung rims and other defects of jitney machines are to be eliminated. Brakes and engines must be in perfect running condition at all times or the automobiles will be ordered from service.

"There are 25,000 passengers carried daily in jitneys in this city," said Lieut. Wheeler. "The trolley cars are carrying all they possibly can, but are unable to do more than they are doing at the present time. All jitney drivers with suitable cars and records for carelessness will be welcomed but we propose to put a stop to reckless driving under all conditions. There has been a serious jitney accident here in a month's time and with careful inspection of the jitney equipment, we expect to minimize risk to passengers in these conveyances."

Jitney drivers, who enter the safety zone, arranged for the accommodation of street car patrons at Fairfield and Main streets, will be halted into court. It appears that in the past the drivers of jitney cars have ignored the purpose of this safety zone driving into the area to take on passengers.

## PASTOR NOW CITIZEN

Rev. Frank Connors Rideout, pastor of the Second Baptist church, was one of those given citizenship papers by Judge Gager in the civil superior court this morning. The clergyman was born in Canada but has lived in this country for a number of years. Of the 20 applicants who were admitted it was noticed that a large number were born in England. The hearings were resumed this afternoon and will also be continued tomorrow.

ADVERTISE IN THE FARMER.

MRS. PAPP, WHO  
KILLED HUSBAND,  
SENT TO PRISON

Judge Tuttle Gives Wrong-  
ed Wife Minimum Term  
Law of State Allows

With a heavy black veil concealing her features and keeping from spectators the fact that she was weeping, Mary Papp, the young bride who murdered her husband last May, was sentenced to state prison for not more than 15 and not less than one year by Judge Tuttle in the criminal superior court this morning. She regained her composure after sentence had been imposed and with her younger sister, who came here from Weymouth, Ont., sat for some time in County Sheriff Pease's office.

"I am giving her the smallest minimum I can under the law," declared Judge Tuttle. "I will leave it to the board of parole to say how long she must serve in prison. With good behavior Mrs. Papp could be released on parole after she had served one year."

Attorney Jacob B. Klein, who represented the accused, recited the details of the shooting, which took place at the Bridgeport Metal Goods plant, May 11 last. He said the wife was angry at her husband because he had squandered her money, cast aside her love and then shunned her. This plea was made after Mrs. Papp had pleaded guilty to the charge of manslaughter.

Superior Court Warns  
Against Prevalence of  
Gun-Carrying Custom

With a warning to certain elements of the city's population that the practice of carrying firearms must be stopped, Judge Tuttle in the criminal superior court this afternoon imposed a fine of \$200 on Frank Roberts, charged with shooting Carmine Martone in this city, May 27 last. The accused pleaded guilty to manslaughter. It was explained that during a saloon brawl Roberts had fired a pistol shot at the cello, but the bullet had glanced off and struck Martone. Donato Del Percio, who was also implicated in the row, pleaded guilty to assault and was fined \$150. Attorney Jacob B. Klein represented Roberts and Attorney I. J. Cohn appeared for Del Percio.

John Carbone was sentenced to a year in jail for living with Julia Portomovino, wife of a Naugatuck shoe dealer. In the case of the woman the court suspended sentence. The couple were arrested in a Warren street house.

## WANTS SEPARATION

Jennie Finn Perry of this city filed papers in the civil superior court this morning asking for a divorce from Walter C. Perry of this city. She alleges desertion June 12, 1913. The couple were married January 4, 1903. The action is returnable to the October term of court.

Edwin F. Sweet, assistant secretary of commerce, has resigned.

FIVE HURT WHEN  
TRUCK SMASHES  
JITNEY MACHINE

Coal-Carrying Vehicle  
Knocks Bus Off Road  
Against Buildings.

Two women were severely bruised, and three men suffered severe lacerations, as a result of a collision at Barnum avenue and Kosuth street, about 11 o'clock this morning, between a jitney bus and an auto truck, loaded with three tons of coal.

The truck was crossing Kosuth street, at Barnum avenue when it struck the jitney bus amidships, piling the jitney which contained about eight passengers, over the sidewalk against a building.

The impact of the collision, hurled the driver of the auto truck, owned by the James A. Black Coal Co., George Coleman, from his seat into the street, while the women passengers, struck by flying glass, were thrown into a state of hysteria.

Two of the women, bruised about the face were removed to the office of Dr. J. F. Powers, 1069 Barnum avenue. They were treated by the physician and left for their homes refusing to give their names. Two men, both passengers in the bus, also received medical aid from Dr. Powers.

Charles Yotes, 22 years, living in Central avenue, was treated for a laceration of his right hand, and a splinter of glass, which had pierced his nose was extracted. He was sent home.

Coleman, who resides at 69 State street, was taken to the Emergency hospital where severe lacerations to his right hand were dressed, by Dr. S. A. Aranski. He was able to go home.

CONTINUE CASE OF  
MAN ALLEGED TO BE  
GIRL'S ASSAILANT

Identified as the man who brutally assaulted 10 year old Lillian Kisk, in the Fairfield woods, last Friday, Andrew Willie, 25 years of age, of 75 Auburn street, who was arrested by Detective Thomas Malone, last night, this morning was handed over to the Fairfield authorities.

Judge Bacon Wakeman, when Willie appeared before him today continued the case until tomorrow. The assault was most fiendish in nature, with which the police have ever had to deal. Willie is alleged to have met the Kisk girl, who resides at 632 Boswick avenue, while she was walking with a companion, Jennie Kialic, also 10 years of age. Telling the former he would give her an opportunity to make "one selling gun, he took her hand and led her into the woods."

Willie, who has served time for burglary, claims he can furnish an alibi to prove his innocence.

## JAMES E. HOWELL DEAD.

Newark, N. J., Sept. 26—Vice-Chancellor James E. Howell died here today after a brief illness. He was 68 years old, began practice of law here in 1870, and later was chosen for the bench.